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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

Hiroshi Adachi et al.

Application No.: 10/627,717

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Art Unit: 2822

For: MANUFACTURING METHOD FOR

MAGNETIC SENSOR AND LEAD FRAME

THEREFOR

Examiner: R. K. Potter

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment **Commissioner for Patents** P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated November 16, 2005, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 12 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.

FEE CALCULATION

Any additional fee required has been calculated as follows:

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If this communication is filed after the shortened statutory time period had elapsed and no separate Petition is enclosed, the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is petitioned, under 37 CFR 1.136(a), to extend the time for filing a response to the outstanding Office Action by the number of months which will avoid abandonment under 37 CFR 1.135. The fee under 37 CFR 1.17 should be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-2215.

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